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Callaway County Route FF open following railroad bridge removal

Supporting structures to be removed at later date

JEFFERSON CITY, Mo. – Work to remove the overhead portion of the railroad bridge over Callaway County Route FF (Old U.S. Route 40) is complete ahead of schedule. The roadway is now open, and height restrictions have been removed.

Daytime closures for the overhead bridge removal began Oct. 14 and were completed Thursday, Oct. 30, several weeks ahead of schedule. The supporting structures of the bridge will be removed at a later, yet-to-be-determined date.

MoDOT asks all motorists to work with us by buckling up, putting your phone down, obeying all traffic signs, and slowing down and moving over in work zones.

This work is part of the first project in MoDOT's Statewide Improve I-70 Program, Improve I-70: Columbia to Kingdom City, which will add a third lane of travel in each direction to the 20-mile stretch of I-70 between Columbia) and Kingdom City. This $405 million fixed-cost contract includes new pavement on all three lanes of I-70 and will also make interchange improvements to the I-70 interchanges at U.S. Route 63 and U.S. Route 54.

Missouri's FY2024 budget, approved through the state legislative process and governor provides, $2.8 billion in General Revenue to build a third lane of I-70 across the state. The program will plan, design, construct, reconstruct, rehabilitate, and add a third lane in each direction on nearly 200 miles of I-70, from Blue Springs to Wentzville. For more information on the Improve I-70 Program and to sign up for program e-mails, visit http://www.modot.org/improvei70.

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